50/50 Grant Guidelines for PLTW Programs

Career and Technical Education

Missouri Department of Elementary and Secondary Education

The following guidelines apply to Project Lead The Way (PLTW) high school CTE approved programs applying for the 50/50 Career Equipment/Educational Resource(s) Information Grant. All three PLTW programs (Engineering, Biomedical and Computer Science) are eligible to apply.

Currently, only PLTW Computer Science and Biomedical are eligible for Enhancement Grants. Engineering programs do not qualify for Enhancement Grants and are only eligible for the 50/50 grant.

In addition to the Grant Funding Information listed on the application, use the following information to apply and request funds.

Allowable Expenditures

(Required by course)

- **Equipment** costing over \$200
- Student computers/tablet devices number eligible for purchase based on 3 year course enrollment average; maximum of 25 units; purchase on 3 year cycle;
- **Software** initial purchase and annual renewal fee
- Teacher computer and required software - 1/teacher; purchase on 3 year cycle
- PLTW core training registration fee

Unallowable Expenditures

- Materials and supplies costing less than \$200 per item
- PLTW annual course renewal fee
- Core training travel or teacher stipends
- Conference related expenses
- Computer warranties
- CTSO related expenses

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